Amendments to the Specification

Please replace the second full paragraph on page 3 with the following rewritten paragraph:

In an embodiment of the invention shown in FIG. 1-A to 2-C, a clamp **20** comprises a pair of magnet assemblies **22** mounted on a frame **21**. Frame **21** is U-shaped in cross section. ~~Frame~~ As shown in Figures 2-A to 2-C, frame **21** has an edge portion ~~**21A**~~ which can press against a media sheet **11** and therefore constitutes a media-engaging portion of frame **21**. Each magnet assembly **22** has a central permanent magnet **24** with pole pieces **26** located on either side of permanent magnet **24**.

Please replace the second full paragraph on page 5 with the following rewritten paragraph:

In FIG. 3, clamp **20** is shown with an electromagnetic retracting device **40** installed on each magnet assembly **22**. Retracting devices **40** each have a core **42** of ferromagnetic material in an inverted U-shape. A coil **56** is wound around core **42**. Coil **56** can be wound around one leg of core **42**,as shown in FIG.'s 4-A to 4-D. The operation of retracting device **40** to place clamp **20** is explained with reference to FIGS. 4-A to 4-D. In FIG. 4-A, permanent magnet **24** is polarized in the direction of arrow **50** thus establishing a magnetic flux through the core **42** of retracting device **40** in the direction indicated by arrow **52**. A large portion of the magnetic flux is ~~channeled~~ channelled through core **42** providing a strong attachment force to pole pieces **26**.

Please replace the second full paragraph on page 7 with the following rewritten paragraph:

It should be apparent to a person skilled in the art that many variations in the process may be readily envisaged. In one specific variation of the above clamping and un-clamping schemes a current is applied earlier in FIG. 4-A thus speeding up the placing process. Similarly, ~~as shown in FIG. 6,~~ a current can be applied prior to bringing retracting device core **42** into contact with magnet assembly **22**. Many other variations are possible without departing from the scope of the invention.

Please replace the paragraph spanning pages 8 and 9 with the following rewritten paragraph:

In another embodiment shown in FIG. 7 a clamp **80** comprises a frame **82** fabricated from a suitable material, such as sheet metal. Frame **82** locates a pair of magnets **22**, each magnet having a permanent magnetic material **24** flanked by a pair of pole pieces **84**. Pole pieces ~~26~~ 84 are elongated to form a pivot at **90** and to retain the magnet assembly **22** on frame **82**. Frame **82** has cut out sections **92** that also serve to form a compliant web-hinge section **88**. The combination of ~~web hinge~~ web-hinge section **88** and protruding tab **86** serve as a spring for biasing magnet **22** away from the underside of clamp **80**. In this embodiment, ~~the~~ magnet 22 does not slide in the frame **82**, but rather moves relative to an underlying surface via web-hinges **88**. The operation of clamp **80** is otherwise similar to that shown in FIG's. 5-A to 5-D and FIG. 6 except that magnet **22** is pivoted and transcribes an arc in moving from a position biased away from the imaging bed to a position in contact with the imaging bed.